

Application of: Costa, Ronald Louis

Serial No.: 10/772,151

REMARKS

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 10, 2006, the time to respond with a one-month extension, being until May 10, 2006. Claim 9 is herein canceled. Thus claims 1 and 3-8 remain pending. Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested.

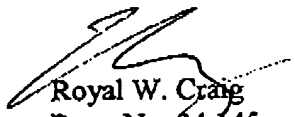
The Examiner rejected claim 9 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Design Patent No. 275,534 issued to Halverson. Claim 9 is herein canceled.

Applicant acknowledges and appreciates the Examiner's indication that claims 1 and 3-8 are allowed.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that this application is now in the proper condition, and a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,


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